

THE GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 3

Whenever there are any indications that Sherman's charges will be better than Blaine's in '88, the democratic press begins to crow. If Blaine is a dead duck, "why is this thinsy?"

A bill was introduced in the senate some days ago without the consent of the state board of supervision, providing for an additional state prison. But a communication was received from Governor Tuck on Wednesday recommending that no additional state prison be constructed until the statement of the president of the state board of supervision showing that the number of convicts has not increased during the past year. The bill will not pass.

Rufus Blodgett has been elected United States senator in New Jersey. He was a member of the lower house of the New Jersey legislature in 1878 and 1879. He is identified with the interests of several railroad companies and has always been recognized as a staunch democrat. In the assembly he was the democratic leader. He is a fluent speaker, and is of commanding figure. He was for several years a member of the democratic state central committee. He was elected by republican votes in order to defeat Governor Abbott.

That cheery mugwump paper, the New York Times, which has given the democratic administration its support for the past two years, is compelled by the force of circumstances, to say: The democratic party hereabout is in a condition of very unstable equilibrium. It has more leaders than it can safely carry and as many opinions and policies as there are sides to the prominent public questions of the day. Only by great caution and greater good will will it be possible for the party to avoid a relapse into that habit of "convenient blundering" which in Governor Hill's opinion the democrats have utterly cast off.

A few days ago the Boston Globe, the chief democratic paper of that city, sent to the members of the legislature a circular which bore a request for the members to give their first and second choice for president. The following result was obtained:

Democrats in both houses..... 67
Democrats heard from..... 74
Democrats for Cleveland..... 56
Democrats for Hill..... 18
Democrats for all others..... 13
Republicans in both houses..... 123
Republicans heard from..... 138
Republicans for Blaine..... 16
Republicans for Sherman..... 16
Republicans for Hawley..... 7
Republicans for all others..... 2
Republicans with no choice..... 27

There is some significance in these figures when one takes into account the fact that Massachusetts has been said to have no love for Blaine.

The senate will not do the fair thing to reject Mr. Trotter, as register of deeds, for the District of Columbia. Of course that he has been from Boston is bad enough, but after all he should be confirmed, if he is worthy, and the reports show that he is a very respectable democrat. The alleged ground of his rejection will be that he is not a resident of the District of Columbia. This was the objection the senate committee raised against Matthews. There were two democrats who voted for Trotter's confirmation, and one republican; and two republicans and two democrats who voted for confirmation. It would be better if the president would select from the well qualified colored men of the District, a successor to Fred Douglass. This would be in harmony with the democratic platform and with Cleveland's promises.

Senator Spooner will take his family to Europe this spring, and will remain until fall. While there the children will be put to school. A writer in the New York Tribune, says "Senator Spooner is the least arbitrary of men. He is a boy with his boys, and all duties and pleasures are talked over with them. There are no divided interests or conflicting plans, and no quiet corners in the house, closed to interruption. He has an office and a stenographer, but when he is going to make a speech he gets it started and worked out in the bustle of talk with his family. His wife is often at the same time playing on the piano, and some times there is a racket that would drive some men wild in the effort to hold ideas in their heads. I was told that his enology on the late Senator Logan was prepared one evening when the "racket" in his house was at its height."

There is a stir going on in Milwaukee among the Typographical union printers. They were receiving 35 cents per 1000 ems on morning papers, and wanted 43, and the compositor on the evening papers received 35 cents, and they demanded 38. The papers refused to accede to the demand, and a general strike was ordered. Their places are being rapidly filled by printers from the Printers' Protective fraternity, and in a day or two the Milwaukee dailies will be on their feet again. There was no cause whatever for a strike. The printers were receiving good wages. One of the strikers, speaking about war time, said: "In those days there was a great deal of loaded matter, and the leads were four and six to piece. Now very little loaded matter is used and the leads are ten to piece and thinner. In war time it was possible for compositors to make \$10 and \$20 per week; now, even with an advanced scale, a compositor cannot make over \$25 if he works seven days in the week, and anyone acquainted with typesetting knows a man can't stand this for any length of time."

But the Sentinel says that its book about this statement is not true. The books of the office showing that much of the type was set by girls who were paid 25 cents a 1,000 ems. The men who

worked at night were paid 35 cents a 1,000, and did not average \$17 a week. The foreman of the office received \$20. It must be remembered that this was during the war, when the currency was depreciated nearly one-half its par value, and when \$20 would hardly buy as much as \$15 will at present.

100 MUCH DINNER.

Mention was made in the Gazette at the proper time, of the Delmonico dinner given by the republican club of New York city. It was suggested then that there were more politics than dinner at such a gathering, and the kind of politics that never bears good republican fruit. Here are the New York Sun's comments on the dinner:

There is no doubt that Forsaker made a hit at the dinner of the republican club in this town on Lincoln's birthday. His speech was an aggressive, exaggerated, rough and tumble piece of oratory, not altogether destitute of wit and force. It took much better than the carefully measured sentences in Sherman's and latter. If the nomination of a republican candidate for president had been the business of the evening, and if the choice had been left to the republican men we dare say the Delmonico convention would have chosen Forsaker over Sherman by an overwhelming majority. We advise Uncle John Sherman to watch Cousin Forsaker for the next fifteen months. Not that we believe Forsaker capable of playing a double game on the guileless senator, but because it has happened once before that an Ohio lieutenant of Sherman's going into the convention in Sherman's interest, and the great prize, not for the principal, but for himself, Ohio, is not retired of furnishing the republican party with presidential candidates.

These Delmonico dinners have been given to boom candidates, but the effect has not been pleasant to think of. On the political boom-stone of more than one candidate might well be written the words: "Here lies the remains of one who fell at Delmonico's political dinners." Governor Forsaker did not boom Uncle Sherman nor start a boom for himself by his dinner speech.

If Blaine had gone to Fulton Market for a dish of oysters for his dinner, on the 28th of October, 1884, or had taken a railway lunch which would cost only a quarter, and had stayed away from Delmonico's, he would have been in the presidential chair to-day, and Cleveland would be occupying his old rooms over a hardware store in Buffalo.

A dinner at the wrong time and place doesn't digest very well, especially Delmonico's.

COMPARATIVE CITY TAXATION.

Some years ago the Gazette printed an editorial article on municipal indebtedness and taxation, in which the fact was shown that Janesville was the seventh city in all the western states in townships of taxation. There is no positive evidence to prove its position at present in that respect, but the chances are that it has not materially changed.

Recently the editor of the Oshkosh Northwestern sent blanks to the clerks of about twenty-five cities in Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska, the population of which, according to the census of 1880, brought them into a fair comparison with Oshkosh. These blanks contained three questions as follows:

- (1) Rate of taxation on valuation in your city for each of the last five years.
- (2) Present bonded indebtedness.
- (3) Present population.

Nearly all the blanks were returned filled out as requested, and the following table shows the rate of taxation, the amount of indebtedness, and the population. The table is well worth studying on its figures are suggestive:

City.	Rate in Mills.	Debt.	Pop.
Oshkosh.....	28.00	\$103,000	25,000
La Crosse.....	25.00	20,000	20,000
La Crosse, Wis.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Madison.....	17.00	100,000	25,000
Madison, Wis.....	12.00	12,000	12,000
Appleton.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Janesville, Wis.....	21.00	20,000	20,000
Green Bay.....	21.00	20,000	20,000
Burlington.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Davenport, Iowa.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Jackson, Mich.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Marquette, Mich.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Omaha, Nebraska.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Leavenworth, Kan.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Akron, Ohio.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Duluth, Minnesota.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Tupelo, Miss.....	20.00	20,000	20,000
Joliet, Illinois.....	20.00	20,000	20,000

Not included were Watrous, and it will be seen from the foregoing that Janesville has the least indebtedness of the cities named, and that it stands third as to low taxation. Of course, the showing is creditable for Oshkosh. It is a fast city, not in an obnoxious sense but in the way of enterprise, life, industrial progress, and in all important municipal improvements; and it is a great wonder that it has such a moderate debt and so comparatively low taxation. It would be a good thing for Janesville for its trade, its manufactures and its people in every station—it had some of Oshkosh's fastness, even at the cost of a little more taxation.

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Constipation, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it.

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SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN THE MOTTO OF JERSEY REPUBLICANS.

They Organize a "Combiné" and Elect a Democrat Senator—Pleasantness Exchanged in the Indiana House—Beauty of the Situation—A Stringent Liquor Law For Minnesota.

THURSDAY, N. J., March 3.—Rufus Blodgett, ex-member of the legislature of Ocean county, superintendent of the New York & Long Branch railroad, and one of the most active of democratic politicians in the state, was elected to the United States senate on Wednesday afternoon. Blodgett, whose term expires Friday. The election of Mr. Blodgett was secured by the aid of 95 Republicans and 3 anti-Abbott Democrats (Assemblymen Kinney and Throckmorton and Senator Chittell). Senator Chase, Democrat, afterward changed from Abbott to Blodgett, thereby making 42 votes for Blodgett, just 1 above a majority necessary to elect. Blodgett is an anti-civil service reformer. There was much turbulence, and the Abbott men were particularly bitter in their denunciation of those who opposed their candidate.

There were indications previous to the meeting of the joint convention that something was up. The convention met at noon on Wednesday, and the first order of business was a recess until 1 p. m. This was opposed by the Abbott men, and Senator Edwards asked if he was to understand the gentleman from Connecticut (Throckmorton) wanted to confer with a Democratic caucus.

"I don't know what the gentleman from Hudson understands," said Throckmorton, "but I desire to say that the gentleman from Connecticut understands himself." (Applause.)

The motion for recess was carried, and the Republicans went into caucus to plot the election of some Democrat other than Abbott.

When the joint assembly was called to order at 4 o'clock the Abbott men found that two of their number were missing. Not yet despairing they resorted to filibustering for a half-hour in order to dispatch messengers for the missing members. During the delay the missing members appeared. A vote was then ordered. The very first name on the list is Ackerman, a Republican leader. The clerk called his name and he slowly arose in his seat in a perfect silence and repeated the name of Rufus Blodgett. Following Ackerman came Armstrong, who is the Republican leader and house and Mr. Sewell, right-hand man. He, too, voted for Blodgett. All the Republicans followed suit with the exception of Col. Sam Dickinson and Mr. Little. These gentlemen voted for Abbott.

When Carroll, one of the labor members, arose to vote all noise ceased. He said the light had narrowed down to a railroad man and an anti-railroad man. He would vote an anti-railroad man. As Carroll concluded a great shout from a thousand voices went up, and for fully five minutes it was followed by cheer after cheer. Denouement, the labor member, stuck to Potter. The vote was announced: Blodgett, 39; Abbott, 28. The vote, 17 yeas, 17 nays, total, 34. There was great confusion. The chairman announced no election. Another ballot was taken amid great disorder. The Republicans, except Dickinson and Little, voted for Blodgett. Dickinson, voted for Sewell and Little for Abbott. The Democrats, excepting Chittell, Throckmorton, and Kinney, voted for Abbott. Kinney changed to Blodgett, and was hissed by the Democrats.

Before the vote was announced Dickinson (Rep.) changed from Sewell to Blodgett, giving the latter 41 and electing him. Abbott received 29 and Potter 1.

The scene which followed was like boiling. Every one seemed to be cursing every one else. Men sprang upon the desks and shouted for recognition, and Chairman Fish broke his gavel in trying to restore order. Then Democrats arose en masse and wanted to change their votes from Abbott to Sewell. The chairman said no change could be made till the vote was announced. The Democrats crowded around the desk and shook their fists under the chairman's nose. A dozen Democrats shouted that they changed their votes to Sewell, but it was too late.

Edwards rushed down the aisle waving a paper saying he had a message from Abbott. It was read and proved to be thanks to the faithful Democrats. It said in substance that it was "better to have elected a poor Democrat than a good Republican." Then the Democrats who changed to Sewell changed back to Abbott and there was wild cheering for Abbott. Finally the chairman got a chance to shout that Blodgett was elected, a roar of hisses and catcalls greeted the announcement. Blodgett clapped his hands. This enraged Hoppenheimer, an Abbott Democrat, so much that he picked up a law book and hurled it at Blodgett, whom he denounced as a backslider. The book fell about 10 feet and excited scenes as the chairman declared the joint assembly adjourned sine die.

COWARD AND LIAR.

Indianaapolis, Ind., March 3.—In the house Wednesday morning another disgraceful scene was inaugurated, and the subject was presented only by the prompt interference of cooler heads. The committee appointed at the joint convention held on the day following the election of Judge Turpie as senator, submitted a memorial addressed to the United States senate, protesting against the admission of Judge Turpie to a seat in that body.

The previous question was thus shut off. In explaining his vote according to the subject, but says Robertson does not claim to be presiding officer of the senate. As the law requires bills to be signed by that officer it is a mooted point whether Robertson's signature will make the law valid.

"You are a liar," said Representative Stubbs, "and if you say that again I'll throw a shoe at you," and as he spoke he advanced in a threatening manner toward Lauch. A number of gentlemen gathered around the excited member, and a personal collision was only prevented by their timely intervention. Lieutenant Governor Robertson has been signing all bills passed by senate and house, and among them is the bill for a soldiers' monument. The question now is: Will the governor sign it? He is non-committal on the subject, but says Robertson does not claim to be presiding officer of the senate. As the law requires bills to be signed by that officer it is a mooted point whether Robertson's signature will make the law valid.

If the governor signs the bill or permits it to become a law, it will be cited as a practical acknowledgment of the claim of Col. Robertson to the lieutenant governorship. If, on the other hand, the governor in any way prevents the bill from becoming a law the Republicans may say that he is a soldier's monument—something that the entire soldier element of the state has, without regard to party, emphatically demanded.

A Michigan Senator Rises.

LANSING, Mich., March 3.—In the senate Wednesday Senator Post rose to a question of privilege, and asked that the following item, published in "The St. Louis (Miss.) Leader" of Feb. 24, be read: "We wonder if he could find anything to do with the action of Senator Post in the matter of transferring two sections of Pine River township to Adrian township? To the unsatisfied it would look as if Post asked that an investigation be held and the motion prevailed, and Senators J. W. Babcock

Gairney, Mr. Smith with appointed committee to make the inquiry. He, Kinney, editor of the paper, says the article was printed in his absence and without his knowledge or consent. The bill to prevent the collection of notes given by farmers for "Bolenine" oats has become a law.

The Minnesota License Law.

St. Paul, Minn., March 3.—The house Wednesday passed the Cranall bill, which previously passed the senate, providing a heavy penalty for violation of the law relating to liquor licenses. It provides that all persons procuring licenses must give bonds not to violate any conditions of law; that public officers issuing licenses for less than the minimum fixed by the state shall be subject to fine of from \$100 to \$500; that any public officer refusing to carry out the liquor laws shall be thereby disqualified from holding office and be liable on his bond from \$100 to \$500; that any one violating the law shall be punished by a fine of from \$50 to \$100 and imprisonment in the county jail of from thirty to ninety days.

Elouque Over a State Fair.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 3.—The whole of Wednesday was consumed in the assembly in listening to speeches on the permanent location of the state fair. The principal competitors for this location are Chicago and Springfield, and many speeches were made on each side. It can not be predicted which city will get the honor. The senate advanced to third reading the bill providing that the effect of alcohol on the human system be taught in the public schools, and passed the house bill providing for the purchase of the sword of Gen. Shields. The bill allowing women to vote at district school elections was advanced to third reading.

Governor Hill Nominates a Republican.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 3.—Governor Hill Wednesday sent to the senate the nomination of ex-Senator Samuel J. May to the railroad commissioner in place of John O'Donnell, whose term has expired. The nomination was referred. Mr. Arkoll is one of the most prominent Republicans in the state, and a supporter of the Albany Journal. Some of the Democratic senators threaten to vote against confirmation, but if they do Mr. Arkoll will be confirmed by a combination of Republicans and Democrats.

Wants the Greenback Indorsement.

DETROIT, Mich., March 3.—Wednesday afternoon Bron, one of the regents nominated by the Democratic state convention Tuesday declined to run because he was elected to his present position as a member of the state legislature by Greenbackers as well as Democrats, and the situation is thus complicated.

Opposed to a New State Prison.

MADISON, Wis., March 3.—Governor Rusk sent an executive communication to the senate Wednesday morning protesting against an appropriation made to erect an additional state prison. A meeting of Orange county, created with bribery and other illegal acts at the state election. When brought before the federal court Judge Woods overruled the motion to quash the indictment against defendants and the cases have stood ever since. Judge Grosvenor's opinion in the Perkins case, delivered Tuesday, probably ends the matter, and Wednesday Judge Woods granted a motion to rehear on the motion to quash, which is temporarily overruled. If any further proceedings are had they must be had in the state courts.

The Milwaukee Printers' Strike.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 3.—There is no apparent change in the attitude of the striking printers and their employers. The Evening Wisconsin was issued yesterday afternoon with a half a column of original matter, the remainder being plates. The Journal was in a little better shape, the editors and reporters, with a few new hands, setting up a fair amount of type. A meeting of the Pressmen's union Wednesday night a resolution was passed prohibiting union pressmen printing type set up by non-union men. This means that the pressmen will probably strike Thursday. The Sentinel has nine non-union printers at work.

They Must Reluctant McCabe.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The supreme court Wednesday handed down its decision in the case of Chief McCabe, of the fire department. McCabe had, during a big fire in his district July 1 last, sent out what is known as "the three sixes," calling out all the engine north of Twenty-third street. His superiors, deeming this bad judgment on his part, dismissed him from the department. The main opinion is written by Judge Brady, and is to the effect that McCabe must be reinstated and restored to his rank as second assistant chief of the fire department.

The Chicago Anarchist Case.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Fire Escapes Must Be Put on Public Buildings.

Bay View Annexed to Milwaukee.

Special to the Gazette.

MADISON, March 3.—In the senate this morning, the following bills were considered:

Providing for the payment of debts of the agricultural societies, by allowing the societies to levy tax on its members when its debts exceeding cash funds; fixing salary of county surveyors at \$5 per day.

Suppressing houses of ill-fame by hiring keeper from \$200 to \$1,000 or imprisonment from one to three years in the state prison, or six months to one year in the county jail. The law also applies to the party leasing property for such purposes.

Purchasing architects for making plans or erecting public buildings without fire escapes by a fine of \$25 for each offense, and owners of public buildings \$100 for each offense.

A bill annexing Bay View to Milwaukee was passed.

In the assembly bills were passed to exempt property of the Milwaukee industrial exhibition from taxation.

Increasing penalty for the violation of the state detainer.

Law requiring mortgage of stock to file inventory every sixty days.

Creating superior court in Milwaukee.

Requiring school district clerks in taking census to give names and ages of children between 4 and 20 years of age.

Amending charter of city of Janesville; allowing trains to run over crossings without stepping if precautions are taken to prevent accidents which meet with approval of railroad commissioners.

Repealing law providing that assessment of merchant's and manufacturers' stock shall be based on average amount held during preceding years.

Providing that any person who shall unlawfully entice any person under 18 years of age from home may be punished by fine of \$5,000 or imprisonment for two years.

Appropriating \$12,000 annually for farmers' institutes.

Bills were killed to suppress gambling.

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UNFAVORABLE TO TROTTER.

The President's Negro Appointees Will Be Probably Rejected.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—It is ascertained that the vote Wednesday of the District committee on the nomination of James M. Trotter to be recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia, stood 4 against favor of an adverse report. It is believed that the three votes for a favorable report were cast by Harris, Brown and Chesney, and that Ingalls, Palmer, Vance and Blackburn voted to report the nomination adversely. There does not seem any probability of Trotter's confirmation.

Business men of the city generally condemn the appointment, while at the same time there are many who believe that the president's persistence in the matter will work good results for his party. Mr. Trotter arrived in Washington Wednesday and was elected for an hour or more with Mr. Matthews, the present recorder. Subsequently a paper was filed in the office of the clerk of the court over the signature of Clement C. Matthews, Recorder of Deeds, District of Columbia, appointing "James M. Trotter, of York, Pa., Mass., deputy recorder of deeds in and for the said District of Columbia." It is stated by the evening papers that the action was taken as a precautionary measure, for Mr. Matthews' term will expire on the 4th of March, and the office would then be left without a head.

PUBLIC PRINTER BENEDICT CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—In the executive session of the senate Wednesday the nomination of Public Printer Benedict was taken up. He was confirmed by a vote of 37 to 10. Manderson, Hawley and Evans—the first two members of the committee on printing—spoke against confirmation. They took the ground that the revised statute book, which was the subject of the public printer's nomination, was a piece of workmanship at type setting, press-work, book-binding, etc., which Benedict had not done. Gorman and Miller claimed that he was a practical printer, and the managing of the work. All the Democrats present voted for confirmation, but a sufficient number of Republicans also voted affirmatively to relieve the action from strict partisanship.

A Regular Crush at the White House.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—There was a regular crush at the White House reception Wednesday afternoon, owing to the presence of a large number of ex-couriers. The president must have shaken hands with over 100 persons. He was detained, beyond the usual hour by the postmaster general, so that it was nearly 9 o'clock when he appeared in the East room. Many of the visitors had been waiting since noon, and several had been waiting for an hour packed like sardines waiting for the little electric bell to announce the approach of the president.

Hill Would Be Heard.

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Money for Agricultural Purposes.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Among the provisions of the agricultural appropriation bill as agreed to by both houses Wednesday are these appropriations: \$240,000 for experiments in the manufacture of sugar from sorghum and sugar-cane, and an increase from \$100,000 to \$200,000 of the appropriation for carrying out the provisions of the act establishing a bureau of animal industry. Of the latter sum the commissioner of agriculture is authorized to use any amount he deems necessary in preventing the spread of pleuro-pneumonia.

Consuls To Be Paid Salaries.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The conference on the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill agreed Wednesday these on the part of the house concerning most of the senate amendments. The amendments referring to the pay of consuls in effect as follows: Twenty-four consuls now paid by fees are appropriated for by fixed salaries, amounting to \$15,000. Those consuls who are now paid by fees are to be paid by fixed salaries, amounting to \$15,000. Those consuls who are now paid by fees are to be paid by fixed salaries, amounting to \$15,000.

The Sundry Civil Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Just before the house adjourned Wednesday the conference agreement on the sundry civil bill was submitted. In the statement accompanying the report the conference say that the senate made 252 amendments, increasing the aggregate appropriation \$4,038,047 over the amount of the bill as it passed the house. As agreed upon in conference the bill aggregates \$24,882,430, being \$2,025,078 in excess of the bill as it passed the house.

Wildly Waved Their Bills.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The success of King in getting bills suspended and the bill passed for a public building at Monroe, La., Wednesday night in the house, was the signal for a rush of members into the space in front of the clerk's desk, all of whom wildly waved their bills in the air and vociferously claimed recognition. The uproar was so great that for a time business had to be suspended.

Postmaster Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The following nominations were confirmed by the senate on Feb. 26 and made public Wednesday: Postmaster: Illinois—M. V. B. Smith, Morrison; S. C. Randall, Bismarck; Michigan—C. C. Thompson, Detroit; M. C. McGowan, Detroit; G. W. Osgood, London; M. F. McIlwaine, St. Ignace; P. H. Holbrook, Muskegon, Minnesota—W. W. Delany, Redwing.

Edmunds Gained His Point.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The agreement on the fishery bill removes another question that threatened an extra session. Edmunds' determination to retard the work on appropriations bills was supposed to be because he wanted to force action on this bill. Now that it is out of the way it is thought that he will offer no further obstruction.

Gen. Durbin Ward's Sword.

In his will the late Gen. Durbin Ward gave to his niece, Ella Ward, the jewel mounted sword which had been presented to him by the privates of his old regiment. He enjoys her thanks and delivers to her the sword, which should ever be blessed with one, and if he should die, to the next oldest in succession, and with it the charge never to draw it in a bad cause, and to never leave it sheathed, should a good one require its aid, and command him also to send it down to posterity to the eldest son in the direct line so long as any Ward blood can wield a sword, until that blessed time shall come when all swords shall be beaten into plowshares.—New York Sun.

A Turkish Bath and a Horseback Trot in the Park before Breakfast are said by physicians to take away some of their most esteemed patients.

We should economize at all times, but more especially when times are close. Observe the purchases of your thirty neighbors. More substantial benefits can be obtained from a fifty-cent bottle of Dr. Biglow's Cough Cure than a dollar bottle of any other cough remedy. It is a prompt, safe and pleasant cure for all throat and lung troubles. Sold by Prentice & Evenson.

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CONDENSED NEWS.

The directors of the Bee Line road have elected James D. Loring president.

A body of lead ore has been developed at a point near Warren, Ill., and it is estimated that 50,000 pounds are already in sight.

Addis E. Carr, a civil engineer and electrician, of Baltimore, accidentally poisoned himself with sulphuric acid and expired in great agony.

A petition for the repeal of the prohibitory law of Rhode Island has been presented to the legislature by business men of Providence representing \$400,000.

Edward Kuehn, who died recently in Omaha, is well directing that his body be cremated and the ashes be placed in an urn over the bar of a popular saloon.

Col. Golder, the Arctic explorer, reached Fort Churchill too late to catch the Hudson bay boat to Nottingham Island, and therefore decided to return to New York.

Charles H. Davis, auditor of the Pullman Palace-Car company at Chicago, was found dead in bed Wednesday. He had just returned to Chicago from a trip to California.

The British government refuses to permit the taking effect of the act recently passed by the legislature of Newfoundland in relation to the districts, owing to the protest by France. A Halifax special represents that the people would vote for annexation to the United States by a three-fourths majority.

A NEW TROTTING ASSOCIATION.

Sixty-Six Organizations Represented at the Detroit Meeting—Officers Elected.

DETROIT, March 3.—The American Trotting association was born here Wednesday night in the presence of the representatives of sixty-six associations. The articles of incorporation for thirty years, capital stock \$100,000, were signed in the Russell house chambers. Among those present were: C. C. Long, of St. Paul; F. S. Pillsbury, of Minneapolis; George Forbes, of Cleveland; Capt. List of Wheeling, W. Va.; W. P. James, of Terre Haute; James G. Boyd, of Milwaukee; W. F. James, of St. Paul; Judge Bowman, of Ottumwa, Iowa; and John Splan, the celebrated driver. The associations represented are scattered through a dozen different states, east, west and south, and all took stock in the new organization.

The meeting was the outgrowth of the trouble in the National Trotting association, and was called by Daniel J. Campau, of Detroit. It was chosen chairman of the meeting, and a resolution that a new association was necessary for the preservation of trotting interests free from corruption and the influences which have created the present trouble in the national association was adopted.

William R. Manning, of St. Paul, was chosen president by acclamation; D. C. Braman, of Ottumwa, vice president; Director—W. P. James, Terre Haute; C. C. Long, Milwaukee; R. W. Gillett, Detroit; H. G. Toler, Wichita, Kan., and E. C. Long, St. Paul.

A Socialist Reception.

New York, March 3.—Schuch and Braunswald, the Socialists who were liberated from Blackwell's island after serving nine months' imprisonment, were tendered a reception by their friends at Madison hall Wednesday evening. The hall was packed with men and women and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. Very violent speeches against the press, police, and the jury that convicted the men were made.

Rescued After Nine Months' Illness.

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., March 2.—The Mount Carmel shaft colliery, operated by the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company, has resumed work after nine months' idleness. The resumption of operations will give employment to 1,500 hands.

Canada Talking Retaliation.

OTTAWA, March 3.—The discussion of customs is preparing a bill which it has been decided would be presented to parliament in congress should pass the retaliatory measure. The bill will largely increase duties on American imports.

Grave-Diggers Threaten to Strike.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The grave-diggers at Greenwood cemetery threaten to strike unless they receive \$1.50 per day during the winter season. They now receive \$1.50 for winter work, but only get 10c for summer work.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Quotations on the board of trade today were as follows: Wheat—No. 2, March, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; April, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; May, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; June, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; July, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; August, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; September, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; October, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; November, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal; December, opened 75c-76c, closed 75c-76c; nominal.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Chicago & Northwestern
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For Rockford	2:30 P.M.
For Beloit	3:30 P.M.
For Watertown	4:30 P.M.
For Madison and Wisconsin	5:30 P.M.
For Chicago	6:30 P.M.
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The vicinity of New York started by the Boom and Rattle of the Seismic Convulsion—Heroes of the Carder Disaster—Severely Dead Miners in the Broom Pit.

New York, March 3.—At 4:30 Wednesday afternoon a slight shock of earthquake was felt at Babylon, Fire Island, Jamaica, and other points on Long Island.

The shock was strongest at Fire Island and Babylon. It was felt as far east as Bay Shore and as far west as Hunter's Point.

It was not felt in this city. At Babylon the building of the Presbyterian church, which is situated on a hill, was shaken.

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GREELEY'S ODDITIES.

By no means as eccentric as he seemed to be.

Who can forget Horace Greeley's affections of eccentricity?

It was by no means of means the fool he assumed to be.

He was not a fool, but he was a man of many moods.

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A PROSTRY SUNRISE.

Ab, utter beauty! How the fair, false frost looks down on the snow.

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THE BEST TONIC.

This medicine, combining iron with pure vegetable tonic, quickly and completely cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weakness, and all other ailments.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Rock County, City of Janesville—ss. In the County Court of Rock County, Wisconsin.

Notice is hereby given that at the March term of the County Court of Rock County, Wisconsin, held at the Court House in the City of Janesville, on the 1st day of March, A.D. 1887, being the 1st day of March, A.D. 1887, the following matter will be heard and decided.

The petition of Hiram A. Stone, administrator of the estate of Peter S. Stone, deceased, for leave to mortgage or sell the following real estate situated in the City of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

Unnumbered lot west of lot three (3) and four (4) in the City of Janesville, in said County, according to the recorded plat thereof, to pay the debt of said estate.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 2.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Don't mention this to a crowd, Nor get excited and talk too loud: But quietly say to your friends: "That fellow who borrows my land On real estate or 'mort of hand' Or by exchange or sell their land, Will call thereby, and prove they're wise, If C. E. Bowles they patronize."

Canned salmon, lobsters and choice oysters at the Star.

Horse radish, capers, chow-chow, olives and other choice relishes always fresh at Vankirk Bros.

Curtain fixtures and carpet felt at Sutherland's bookstore.

New cocoanuts at the Star.

AT A BARGAIN.

I am desirous of leaving the city to engage in other business, and offer for sale at a bargain, for cash, my billiard room outfit at the Business Men's rooms, in Phoenix block. Will also sell cheap a 4x8 lot on Pearl street.

R. A. BROWN.

Hand picked eating apples, choice Florida oranges and ripe bananas at the Star.

Malaga grapes, oranges, at Denniston's. New home on Milton avenue; \$2,500. Bowles.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework, on No. 26, North Jackson street. Mrs. A. SHAFER.

Better be benefitted by Bowles' bargains.

New spring (styles of wall paper at Sutherland's.

Maple sugar, maple syrup, and a fine line of dried fruits at Vankirk Bros.

Pool's horsefeed for sale by Bowles.

E. O. Kimberley, at 39 West Milwaukee street, will always be glad to see his friends, especially those in want of time printing.

\$20,000 loaned in two months, and as much more awaiting applicants. C. E. BOWLES.

A new line of carpets at both Brussels and ingrain at Bort, Bailey & Co.

Do not forget the special sale of corsets at Archie Reid's this week.

Don't fail to buy an overcoat of T. J. Zeigler. See his prices in another column.

For good lively turnouts go to Dunwiddie & Humphrey's.

Splendid new curtains and shade cloth at Sutherland's bookstore.

Sample corsets at half price at Archie Reid's special sale this week.

For SALE—A new milch cow. Inquire at this office.

Boys and girls reliable school shoes. You can get the best value for your money at the one price boot and shoe store of G. Cogswell & Co.

Corsets, corsets, special sale of sample corsets at half price at Archie Reid's this week.

A Rare Opportunity. We have for sale a well paying business for man and wife requiring a capital of \$200.

WHEELER & STEVENS.

Bulk oysters and fresh fish received daily and direct at Vankirk Bros.

Solid meat bulk oysters, fresh every morning and crackers thrown in at East End Grocery. BNAZ & BROWN.

Try our choice Family Flour, \$1.00 per sack. BNAZ & BROWN, East End.

Ladies buy your corset waists and corset covers cheap, at Archie Reid's special sale this week.

Stores and ranges and furniture of all kinds at hard times prices at the store and furniture store of S. T. Sanborn, 68 North Main street, in I. O. C. F. block.

Good horses and cutters at reasonable prices at Dunwiddie & Humphrey's.

An immense line of new white goods and Hamburg embroideries, all grades, styles, and qualities at popular prices. BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Just received 350 doz. sample corsets for Archie Reid's special sale of corsets this week.

FOR SALE.

The business known as the New York Savings Store is offered for sale with stock of fancy goods, fixtures, etc. Splendid opportunity to secure a first class cash business with a well established and profitable trade. Apply to Wheeler & Stevens.

Catering for parties attended to by Golling. Silverware and all other supplies furnished if desired. Orders taken for Shurtleiff's cream.

For SALE—House and four lots for \$500. H. H. BLANCHARD.

Lettuce radishes, spinach and other vegetables at Vankirk Bros.

Finest line of can and bulk oysters in the city, at Golling.

Boston Brown Bread at Denniston's.

D. Conger has a fine list of houses and lots for sale at a bargain.

Hot meals at all hours, at Golling's.

See BNAZ & BROWN's special sale of groceries in his paper.

Maple sugar fresh at Golling's.

Valer bread—Try it and you will bake no more. VANKIRK BROS.

A fresh line of imported candies at Golling's.

WANTED—1000 Lady Agents, at once, for my absolutely marvelous new rubber underwear for ladies, out nothing like it elsewhere; selling at \$2.50 per pair, and better than all the ladies' specialties in this country; one lady sold 25 in one day and made \$100.00 clear profit. Address Mrs. H. F. LITTLE, Chicago, Ill.

Gibson's Chlorodyne Cough Tablets at Golling's.

Try that pure fruit jelly at BNAZ & BROWN's, they are feeling it away at 70 per pound. Warranted to be pure.

For SALE—Best lot in the city, situated on Main Street, fronting court house. H. H. BLANCHARD.

T. J. Zeigler is selling overcoats at cost for the next 30 days.

BRIEFLETS.

—The Milwaukee street water works are very successful.

—We now have eight hundred and thirty feet of artesian well.

—Beloit has two more thirty day trips to represent her in the county jail.

—Janesville people have enjoyed an interrupted sleighing since the 8th of December.

—Chorus from Oshkosh, Madison and Rockford: "Spring has come; chutle the toboggan."

—Miss Julia Burns' funeral will be held tomorrow at twelve o'clock from St. Patrick's church.

—Mr. T. J. Bailey entertained his employees very pleasantly at his home in the fourth ward last evening.

—Janesville Chapter No. 5, R. A. M., assembled in regular semi-monthly convocation this evening at Masonic hall.

—Mrs. M. W. Hamblin is in the city, visiting the guest of her mother, Mrs. John F. Drake, of the fourth ward.

—Mrs. S. M. Jerome and Mrs. M. B. Sayles, of this city, are now on their way to California, having started yesterday.

—Improvements are being made in Archie Reid's dry goods store that make the interior look very bright and attractive.

—There was another tip-over on Milwaukee street this morning, but no one was hurt, and the excitement soon died down.

—March came in like a lamb, and the cold wave last night made it seem as though he intended to "lamb it" to us right along.

—Justice Prichard was busy to-day hearing the case of Leavitt v. Fidelity against John Austin. This action was to recover pay for some lumber about the purchase of which there was a dispute.

—To make up for their "crazy-quilt" horse, Vankirk Brothers have two delivery wagons that for style and finish can not be excelled. They are works of art and attract a great deal of attention.

—St. Patrick's church is being improved by placing large doors on the north and south sides of the building, in order to make more convenient exits for the large number who attend church services there.

—To-morrow evening at six o'clock, the Barquet Workers of Court Street M. E. church will serve supper in the Sunday school room of that church, and would be pleased to have all their friends pay them a visit.

—Circulars have been sent out announcing that the Wisconsin Shoe Factory with all its fixtures, for sale. The reasons given are of the death of one of the leading stockholders, and the removal of others.

—The official test of the Green Bay and Fort Howard water works, which was arranged to take place yesterday, has been indefinitely postponed, owing to some misunderstanding with the authorities.

—The annual meeting of the Rock County Sabbath School association will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, March 15th and 16th, in the S. D. B. church at Milton. Programmes will be issued next week.

—If the man lives that would leave a door open when warned not to by the card that G. G. Green, the drug manufacturer of Woodbury, New Jersey, is sending out, then his case is utterly hopeless.

—There is a quiet but very thorough canvassing going on for the office of municipal judge in this county. There are half a dozen or more candidates in the field. The convention to nominate a candidate will soon be called.

—The young ladies of the First M. E. church held an enjoyable social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Horn, Chestnut street, first ward. There was a large attendance and it was one of the pleasantest of the season.

—Fourteen of the "bread-and-water" tramps that still have from three to twenty days to serve have asked to be released and given a chance to say farewell to Rock county. The air here is somewhat too close.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bauman entertained a company of young people last evening at their home in the first ward. Anderson's band was present and the young people had a right merry time in dancing and other innocent amusements.

—A car load of horses for heavy team work has just been shipped to Milwaukee by Dunwiddie & Humphrey. The market for this class of horses is very lively and Rock county farmers are finding the business of supplying it, quite a profitable one.

—Last evening the Rock county supervisors that went to Madison to push along the license bill, returned, the bill having passed the assembly. It is now in the hands of the senate's judiciary committee and the report of that committee will be anxiously waited for.

—Will Kinney, Dr. Thor Judd's general assistant, is suffering from too much spring rush—made by a fractious cow that he was leading. The cow was a trotter, and managed to jerk Will over a picket fence and the him around a telephone pole, with great despatch.

—The boys and girls (age not limited), will be glad to know that the Great Forepaugh Show is booked for Janesville. A gigantic comprehensive entertainment, Circus, Hippodrome, Wild West and Human Curio; of course "the largest under the sun," and all that sort of thing.

—The "Conversation Class" was inaugurated at the meeting of the young ladies at the Wayside Inn last evening, the conversation being upon "Refractive Dress." The objects of the society is to give young ladies an opportunity to develop the powers of conversation upon profitable subjects, and to enable all to speak distinctly and to the point. The meeting was a very successful one.

—The funeral services of Thomas Frane were held from St. Mary's church this morning. There was a large attendance as the deceased had many true friends among the Janesville people. The St. Patrick's T. A. & B. society attended in a body, and from that society six members were chosen to act as pall bearers, they escorting the remains to the grave.

—What is known as the Bennett farm in the third ward, has been bought by a syndicate composed of G. B. Conrad, C. S. Jackson, B. B. Smith, I. C. Brownell, Richard Valentine, A. M. Valentine and Flory Norcross, and is to be laid out in building lots. The purchase includes sixty acres of very desirable land, and has created quite a stir in real estate circles.

—After half an hour's deliberation this morning the jury in the Eidered case returned a verdict of acquittal. This ends a case that has made a decided sensation in the county and about which there has been much talk. Many thought that it should never have been begun, and District Attorney Malone himself was much opposed to putting the county to such expense. As will be remembered, a resolution was put before the county board last fall, to prevent any further action in the matter, but it was not adopted.

—An accident insurance policy, where permanent disablement entitles the assured to draw the entire amount at once is something well worthy of notice. When a man insured for five thousand dollars is hurt so as to be kept from work he is paid twenty-five dollars a week until he recovers. If the injury is permanent however, or if it proves fatal, the entire sum may be drawn out immediately. Mark Kipley is agent for the company in this city and has also a large number of other standard companies on his books. His advertisement to another column is well worth reading.

—The people of the town of Turtle are much exercised over a telegram to the supervisors, from Madison, saying that a bill had been introduced in the legislature to repeal chapter 187 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to towns receiving bridge purposes. At the present time Turtle is interested to the amount of \$3,000 or \$4,000 in this matter, having had one of the worst disasters which have ever happened in the history of her settlement to her bridges, which were destroyed during the late freshet, to the amount of nearly \$8,000. To repeal this law at the present time would almost seem like snatching the insurance money of one who had just lost his home by fire, and throwing it into the burning mass. Supervisors Crosby and Thom of Turtle, left for Madison Tuesday night, to look into the matter, and to obtain, if possible, a postponement of the matter until both sides of the question could be presented.

FARMERS OF ROCK.

They Meet Each Other at the Institute in Clinton.

Discussions Upon Subjects of Much Importance.

A Summary of the Work.

[Continued from the Gazette.]

CLINTON, March 3.—The farmers institute opened Tuesday morning with a small audience, but steadily increased until in the afternoon the hall was packed full of earnest farmers and citizens of Clinton, Bradford, Turtle, Shoppers and elsewhere.

Mr. A. T. Rogers, of Milton Junction, spoke on the improved methods of handling hacco; followed by a paper on "Dehorning Cattle," by Miles Rice, of Milton, who is thoroughly satisfied with the results. He thought that the best time to perform the operation is when the animal is about two months old.

Mr. Oberver then introduced the clever questioner by reading a paper on its growth and management.

In the afternoon W. S. Thom, of Clinton, handled the subject of "Winter feeding of stock for profit." John Gould, of Ohio, followed, taking up "Eutelsage," and after him came T. B. Terry, who opened a lively discussion by his paper on "Potato culture."

The paper of Robert Fargo, of Lake Mills, showed up many changes that would be beneficial in country road making; and that of W. D. Hoard, upon "How to select a good dairy cow;" and of J. M. Smith upon "How shall the farmer increase the yield and value of his crop?" were also listened to with great interest.

Wednesday morning at half past nine L. L. Hoover, the well known horseman, was introduced. In his paper he said that in breeding for this and other countries the aim is now to secure a heavier horse and one of dark color. No pains should be spared and no blemished animal should be used to breed from even though the expense is much less.

George Austen, of Milwaukee, spoke endorsing Mr. Hoover's statements.

A paper by Mr. Austen on the silo, the cow and butter making in general was the next one read. Winter dairying was compared with summer dairying and stated to be much more profitable especially if a silo was used.

"Blackberries" was Mr. C. H. Hamilton's subject, and the subject was well handled. All such fruit, said Mr. Hamilton, need protection, cultivation and care. There should be melches of some kind of manure. In August all superfluous shoots should be cut off as not more than one third would grow and the old wood dies as soon as the fruit is picked.

Mr. J. M. Smith also handled the berry question although his preference was for strawberries. He knew of nothing that afforded so much pleasure for the money as a good patch of strawberries. Plant again every year and plow up the old and worn out one. Mr. G. J. Kellogg followed Mr. Smith and spoke upon the arrangement of a garden and the rotation of crops by which farmers might get the most for their money.

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 20 degrees above zero. Cloudy with northwest wind. At one o'clock p. m. the register was 37 degrees above zero. Partly cloudy with northeast wind. For corresponding hours one year ago the register was 6 and 33 degrees above zero.

"If humor, wit and honesty could be had for the price that food is here to, what a good price they'd bring in the market. Well, 25 cents will buy a panacea.

Fresh bananas and Malaga grapes at Golling's.

THE WATER WORKS.

The Private Company Bill Passed by the Assembly.

Opinions of the Leading Business Men on the Question.

Brief Interviews.

Special to the Gazette.

The following telegram, received at the Gazette office at noon, explains itself: Madison, March 3d.—The bill for water works by a private company passed the assembly this morning. It is now in the senate.

On receipt of the dispatch representatives of the Gazette hurriedly interviewed a number of Janesville business men, with the following result:

Ald. J. A. Fathers—Let her pass. J. H. Betch—It's a d-d poorpuss. W. G. Palmer—Has it? I hardly thought Wmams would do that. What will Lovejoy do with it?

Shas Hayner—Hope Lovejoy will not let it pass the senate.

A. P. Bennett—Hayner has expressed my sentiments. Hadn't we better block their game.

C. S. Jackson—I think it all wrong. The city should own the plant.

Frank L. Stevens—All right—take a smoke.

Col. W. B. Britton—I guess it is all right. Is Lovejoy in favor of it?

Frank Kimball—I ain't saying a word. F. C. Shilton—D—n the water works; I've been told to death on that.

Eugene T. Rich—Bailly.

Oliver Wilson—I am in favor of a private company.

R. W. Bates—Just the thing.

J. W. King—I think the city ought to own the water works.

Wm. Bladon—That satisfies me.

J. C. Fredendall—I am fogged. I don't know which is for the best.

B. F. Crossell—That's all right.

Ald. T. T. Croft—It is in the interest of the city.

W. H. Ashcroft—"That's the way to put them in. Then if I want water I can have it, and if I don't I needn't pay for it."

J. B. Doe—"I have felt all the time that the city should own the works and I think it will after all."

Fennor Kimball—"If the commissioners had chosen higher ground for their plant I should have preferred city ownership, but as it is, I think the bill is all right."

John Watson—"I don't want water works any way, but I suppose private ownership is as good as anything."

W. F. Carle—"That's my pet scheme!" Ed. F. Carpenter—"Dandy good thing."

C. W. Hodson—I am opposed to a private water works company putting in the plant.

C. E. Bowles—I want the city to own and control the works.

Marshall Hogan—I guess it is all right. Commissioner Phelps—I have passed the senate.

P. J. Mount—I think the city should own the works. So far as I have been able to learn by recent investigation, the people ought to own the plant. But we want the works any way.

A. H. Hall—I guess it is all right. I am in favor of the city putting in the works, but have a mental reservation fearing a "job."

C. Miner—It suits me well enough. W. G. Wheelock—I think it is a mistake.

K. M. Boetwick—It is all right.

Hon. James Sutherland—I guess we had better let it pass.

J. M. Boetwick—I am in favor of the city owning the works, and am strongly in favor of the city building the works new.

Randall Williams—I have been opposed to water works from the first. But I am in favor of city ownership if we are to have them.

W. T. Vankirk—I think it a proper thing to do.

Robt. Horn—All right.

Walter Helms—It's odds is the difference.

C. B. Conrad—Have always been in favor of a private company.

Joseph P. Baker—"Well, I was for city ownership but what has been done lately has changed my mind."

H. E. Stearns—"Let the good work go on."

S. C. Burnham—"Satisfied? Of course I am."

E. W. Vandervlyn—"We ought to give Mayor Winans a regular brass band reception."

D. Davies—I'm afraid they are making a mistake, but I'm satisfied if the rest are.

J. O. Ford—I fit my principles exactly.

George E. Osgood—That's just about right.

Commissioner Wray—I am well enough satisfied with the bill, but I don't think the council should accept either the propositions that are before them now, however.

Commissioner Denniston—It's the best thing that has happened to the city for years. I don't want to see Janesville, after keeping out of debt so long, go in as would be necessary with city ownership.

W. B. Conrad—I think it wrong. The city should own the works.

I. C. Brownell—I think it wrong.

A. H. Sheldon—I am in favor of the city, and in the end the people will be sorry they relinquished the franchise.

G. M. Hancock—I believe in the end it will be a mistake.

J. A. Blount—I think that is the end of it. I don't think it will pass the senate.

A merchant down town sells Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup more than all other remedies together. It cures colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, and all similar affections. 25c.

Keep Your Blood Pure.

Impure blood, however generated, is always present in the body when pain is felt; it spreads and ferments wherever a weak spot exists.

Take Brandreth's Pills to make the blood pure and expel all that is hurtful to the system. They are the only gentle and unfailing remedy. They cleanse the bowels and restore equal circulation throughout the body. They preserve the vigor of youth and often save life.

PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT.

What the Newspapers are Saying of Men and Women of Note.

Rossini's ashes have been taken from Paris to Florence, and a monument will be erected over them.

Dr. Allen McLane Hamilton, the well known expert in insanity cases, is a grandson of Alexander Hamilton.

Lord Tennyson's eyesight is failing him to such an extent as to cause serious alarm among his numerous circle of friends.

Talking of dressmakers, Miss Clara Huntington paid her \$17,000 last year. How does that strike you? Civilization is a great thing, isn't it?

Editor Grady, of the Atlanta Constitution, is a brilliant writer, but an inconsistent worker. Sometimes he will come to the office and do as much work in a few hours as another man will do in a week, and then he will stay off for a month.

Senator Jones, of Nevada, has struck no such roughs of luck as lately represented him. He has had no great stroke of fortune. He has done well in business, but has had nothing like the success which the numerous parables printed have attributed to him.

The story is started in the newspapers that Ben Butler, who hanged Mumford in New Orleans for hanging down the American flag, is now in the United States, and is in a straitened financial condition after the war and secured his good citizenship in the interior department at Washington.

Mr. W. H. Board, the artist, made a study for a large picture to be entitled "The Power of Death." Valiantly dressed in a half clothed figure with a death's head, one hand grasping a tiger in the throes of dissolution, the other a withered tree, while one foot rests on the prostrate form of a dead elephant. In the background, which is desolate and gloomy, stand lions.

Emperor William, Count von Moltke, Gen. W. S. Harney, U. S. A., and Col. E. G. W. Butler, of St. Louis, are believed to be the oldest four military officers in the world. Between the last two there is a good deal of rivalry as to precedence. Butler went into the army and Harney followed him to St. Louis. But Harney received his commission before Butler got his.

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland may be fond of the New York press, but she refused to be interviewed. Some three months ago, in answer to an editor proffering his columns for use in any way, Miss Cleveland said, "I suppose, if I were a woman, I would be of interest to your readers."

Miss Grace Howard, daughter of "Joe" Howard, is going to Dakota next month to work for two or three years in instructing the Indians. Miss Howard is an exceedingly talented woman, with a somewhat strong mind. She has spent some time on the frontier, and quite a strong friendship exists between her and Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland.

I suppose, if I were a woman, I would be of interest to your readers. She is now in Montreal with her father.

The death of Mrs. Needham and the sale of her goods at the Hotel Drouet, Paris, make it plain that the lady stopped making. One hundred and fifty day and night chemists, and several petticoats in silk, muslin, etc., forty pairs of garters, twenty-four corsets, 200 lace handkerchiefs, forty pantaloons of soft peluche, and 165 pairs of silk stockings are among the items on the bill of sale.

A vivacious correspondent has described Miss Matilda Mitchell, the daughter of the senator from Oregon, as she appeared in a gaudy plume at the theatre one evening as gracefully "a maitresse kiten by moonlight," an admirer of the young lady sent her, with the printed paragraph, a moonstone carved to represent the head of a lion with small emeralds for eyes, and a diamond for the nose, and a large diamond for the mouth.

Miss Anna Dickinson is slowly recovering her health, and a friend, writing of her, says: "Miss Dickinson has extricated herself from a two well known stars, for a novel from a New York publisher, and after years of waiting, she is considering them, but will do nothing for a few weeks yet, till she is better. I shouldn't wonder if they were declined ultimately, as she will want to carry out her own chosen projects as soon as she is well again."—Boston Traveller.

THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

The annual meeting of the Janesville Prohibition club was held last evening at the office of William Street. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

President—Geo. J. Kellogg.

1st Vice President—M. DeGroat.

2d Vice President—A. R. Gilmore.

Secretary—Wm. F. Beckett.

Treasurer—Wm. Ferrigo.

The following committees were appointed:

Membership and Literary—J. M. Aldon, M. De Groat and William F. Beckett.

Finance—James Harris, Geo. Hield and Noah Dutton.

MAGNOLIA.

The protracted meetings at the Advent church are progressing.

Mrs. Cordelia Weaver is confined to the house with rheumatism.

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